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In re the Application of:

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Sir:

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), this fourth supplemental information disclosure statement is being filed before the mailing of a final action or any other action that closes prosecution and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(1), is accompanied by a statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(2).

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Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(e)(2)

The undersigned hereby certifies that the references noted on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 were not cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, after making reasonable inquiry, these references were not known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(1), no fees are due with respect to this filing. However, should any fees be deemed necessary, such fees may be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-1415.

If the Examiner has any questions, please contact the undersigned attorney.

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